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STRANGER IN THEIR MIDST

Gap Johnson's Progeny Naturally Resented the Presence of Interloper in the Family.

"A short distance up the road," said a tourist who had halted his car in front of the residence of Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, "I met a small boy legging it for his life, with a howling mob of children of assorted sizes pursuing him and fairly raining stones, clubs and blistering epithets around him."

"Eh-yah!" replied Mr. Johnson. "The party of the first part was Gabe Giggery's boy and the mob was composed of some of my children, chasing him home. You see, their maw was 'em all up a spell ago, and when they looked each other over they found that kid of Gabe's had been amongst 'em for nobody knows how long, eating, drinking and making merry, as it were. Whurupon they gave a united yell of fury and started to swarm all over him, and he let off a screech of terror and defunct out of yur as the crow flies!"—Kansas City Star.

FREEDOM FROM LAXATIVES

Discovery by Scientists Has Replaced Them.

Pills and salts give temporary relief from constipation only at the expense of permanent injury, says an eminent medical authority.

Science has found a newer, better way—a means as simple as Nature itself.

In perfect health a natural lubricant keeps the food waste soft and moving. But when constipation exists this natural lubricant is not sufficient. Medical authorities have found that the gentle lubricating action of Nujol most closely resembles that of Nature's own lubricant. As Nujol is not a laxative it cannot gripe. It is in no sense a medicine. And like pure water it is harmless and pleasant.

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A Real Punishment.

At a well-known co-educational school, the girls are supposed to learn a certain number of college songs. If they do not learn they have their faces painted by the other girls. One of the college boys who goes out with them a great deal says that this is the wrong way to punish them. He suggests that a real punishment would be to make them take some of the paint off their faces instead of putting more on.

Terrible Force of Habit.

As an illustration of the terrible force of habit, there is the story of the man who had been visiting at the home of a millionaire. When he returned to his boarding house he absent-mindedly left his shoes outside his door to be shined by the butler. When he looked for the shoes the next morning one of the other boarders had made away with them.

Cuticura for Pimples.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum. Advertisement.

Mean Insinuation.

A bachelor says a mule is the most obstinate thing on earth, but married men know better.—Chicago Daily News.

One may be as good as the next in a barber shop.

Michigan Happenings

Hardly had Probate Judge James R. Donnelly of Bay City, by committing Harold H. Mendell, alleged slayer of Rollin H. Morgan, to temporary detention in Ionia state hospital for the criminally insane, closed one puzzling chapter in the tale of passion, jealousy and alleged murder, when, with dramatic suddenness, another mystery was opened by the announcement that Mrs. Zeida Morgan, Rollin's pretty widow and Mendell's sweetheart, was ready to come to her lover's rescue.

Six Flint Boy Scouts, engaged in gathering food to aid in the Christmas "Good Cheer" of the Scouts in providing dinners for the needy, were able to add another good deed to their list for the year when they discovered the roof of the home of Mrs. Josephine Steele, a crippled widow, in flames. The boys secured a ladder, formed a bucket brigade and extinguished the flames before the arrival of the fire department, which they had called.

Five persons were found overcome by coal gas in the home of David Crosby at Flint by Miss Mera Kmlska, a nurse, who was attracted by groans from the house as she was hurrying to St. Joseph's Hospital. The victims were Crosby, his wife, his baby son, Harold, and two roomers, Robert Balderston and Mrs. Annabelle Watson. All were unconscious except Balderston. Physicians said they would recover.

Suit for \$100,000 damages was filed by Attorney Adrian F. Cooper, of Albion, representing the Advance Rumley company, of Battle Creek, doing business as the Franklin Iron and Metal company. The declaration alleges that, during a period of 10 or 11 years, Franklin has knowingly invoiced cars of scrap iron to the Advance Rumley company at a greater tonnage than the cars actually contained.

Carol, 3-year-old daughter of Chas. Sterns, Pero Marquette Township farmer, near Ludington, was burned to death. A piece of paper she put into the kitchen stove burned off all her clothes except her shoes. The body was charred beyond recognition. Her sister, Lois, made an heroic attempt to save her by driving her with a poker to the snow outside, but Carol fell at the door and soon died.

John Wagner, 16 years old, confessed to the theft of five Battle Creek automobiles. Wagner was taken into custody as he was returning to his home from a ride in a sedan owned by R. L. Bowen, high school teacher. According to Deland Davis, county trustee officer, he will be returned to the state industrial school at Lansing for violating his parole.

City Attorney B. J. Vincent has advised the Saginaw council that it would be unwise to proceed with ouster proceedings in federal court at Bay City to remove the Saginaw Bay City Street Railway company tracks in Saginaw until the courts have passed on the legality of the vote cast in the street car election, November 7.

Five alleged communists who have been held in the county jail since the raid on their convention at Bridgman, Mich., in August, were freed for Christmas. Their bonds were reduced to \$5,000 each, which they were able to furnish. Fifteen others taken in the raid have already been released under \$10,000 each.

An increase of 197 in the population of state institutions in November, is shown in a report by Earl T. Murray, state welfare commissioner. The population Nov. 1 was 15,170 as compared with 15,277 at the end of the month.

A 10-story building, to cost approximately \$1,000,000, will be erected in Grand Rapids next summer by the Professional Operating company, and will be occupied, exclusively, by physicians, surgeons and dentists.

A circuit judge for Macomb county will be chosen at the April election, and Judge James G. Tucker, who has been incapacitated for more than a year owing to sickness, will not be a candidate for re-election.

Cheboygan harbor above State bridge is frozen over solid as far as the locks at the paper mill. Solid ice came much earlier than usual.

Richard McCann, Charlevoix, jumped from his automobile just before it hurled over a 50-foot embankment by Round Lake here.

Aviation officers at Selfridge Field, near Mt. Clemens, have completed construction of an ice rink covering several acres, to be placed at the disposal of officers and enlisted men at the post. The athletic field and adjoining land was flooded for the purpose.

Fire destroyed the main factory building of the American Rule and Block company, of Menominee, causing a loss of nearly \$100,000, partly covered by insurance.

After a jury was impaneled, in circuit court at Monroe in the case of Marion Smith, 23 years old, 512 Magnolia street, Toledo, against Milton Bartenslager, a farmer of Dundee township, Monroe county, Mich., the case was amicably settled between the parties, the defendant agreeing to pay \$4,000. The case was based on an accident in which a car was alleged to have been driven by Bartenslager, hit Mrs. Smith, May 6, 1922, after she had alighted from a street car.

What is understood to be a new plan for medical and surgical service in Michigan's penal institutions, under which a full-time resident physician will be assigned to each prison, will become effective shortly, according to word received by James P. Corgan, warden of the State Branch Prison at Marquette, from Dr. R. M. Olin, state health commissioner. Dr. Russell L. Finch, of Ann Arbor, has accepted the appointment at the Marquette institution.

Suit by summons was instituted in circuit court at Monroe by Attorneys Willis Baldwin and Ira G. Humphrey, on behalf of 11 residents of Monroe against the Detroit, Monroe & Toledo Shore line electric railroad to recover from the company for an alleged overcharge in railway fare. The claims total \$265,100. The action is based on alleged overcharges in 1918 and 1919. It is said the state statute provides a penalty of \$100 for each overcharge.

Joseph Morrow, Flint, former first ward alderman, recently convicted on two different charges of embezzlement, sentenced by Judge E. D. Black to pay a \$2,000 fine or spend from one to two years in Jackson prison, will appeal to the supreme court. Morrow was convicted of selling 250 gallons of city-owned motor oil to Frank Pratt, oil station proprietor, at too small a price. He went to jail, pending his appeal.

Mathias Hagstrom, Muskegon, has set a record for tardy complaints. Mr. Hagstrom appeared before the city commission and made a complaint, declaring that the street commissioner had removed the greater portion of his front yard. Questioning developed that the alleged injustice was done in 1891. Mayor Lange-land told Mr. Hagstrom he did not believe the commission desired to go back that far.

The Michigan State Cannery's association meeting in Grand Rapids, elected William McEwing, of South Haven, president, elevating him from the vice-presidency. Other officers chosen follow: Vice-president, Benjamin Nott, Grand Rapids; secretary, Dr. A. R. Todd, Grand Rapids; executive committee, Howard Morgan, Traverse City; W. A. Godfrey, Benton Harbor, and Dan Gerber, Fremont.

The Reserve Officers Training Corps of the University of Michigan, is to have new, olive green uniforms—a combination of utility and good appearance. Trousers of ordinary mufli patterns will take the place of puttees and breeches. The coat, instead of being buttoned to the neck, is cut with lapels in the English fashion, and the back is belted, much like the popular sport coat.

The steamer Munising, up-bound light, which was sheltered at Mackinaw City, lost both anchors, the anchor chains breaking where they crossed the steamer's sharp stem. Then she would swing about in the strong wind then blowing. The vessel proceeded to Chicago without anchors.

A fellowship in metallurgy, for which the board of regents of the University of Michigan has provided \$750 annually, has been established for eligible graduate students Luman Y. Deuchler, B. S. E., is the appointee for 1922-23. He is working on "The Physical Properties of Cartridge Brass."

The appeal of Mrs. Mattie Kirby, of Hudson, from the verdict of guilty of manslaughter, returned by a Lenawee circuit court jury at Adrian, a year ago, will be heard by the supreme court, during its January term.

"The Huron," Ypsilanti's new \$200,000 hotel, will be opened January 1, with an informal reception. Invitations to attend are being mailed out to the 600 stockholders.

Checks amounting to \$500,000 have been mailed out by the Owosso Sugar company to farmers for beets delivered up to November 30.

The charter commissioners have begun actual work on drafting the new charter for Marshall.

J. Sumner Hamlin has been named postmaster of Eaton Rapids.

The Cincinnati Northern railroad, in improvements being made at Hudson, Mich., will erect a modern steel coaling dock, with a capacity of 50 tons. The work will take about a month to complete.

Charles Spaulding, of Vicksburg, 80 years old, and a Civil War veteran, dropped dead on the steps leading to the office of Dr. L. C. Bennett, of Kalamazoo. He was on his way to the physician's office for medical assistance.

CALIPH ABDUL MEDJID



Prince Abdul Medjid Effendi, who was elected by the Turkish National assembly to succeed his cousin, Mohammed VI, as caliph and sheik ul Islam—head of the Mahometan church.

CHICAGO TO GET FORD PLANT

Auto Manufacturer Acquires Title to 70-Acre Tract of Land

Chicago—Henry Ford is going to build a \$6,000,000 manufacturing and assembling plant in Hegewisch, Ill., a few miles outside of the city limits of Chicago, to employ more than 16,000 men when completed and which, it is predicted, ultimately will be one of the world's greatest automobile establishments, possibly in time rivaling the Detroit works, which is understood to have about reached the limit of growth.

Title to a 70-acre tract was taken by the Ford Motor company Dec 21 and the first of four proposed units, which will cost \$1,500,000 each, is expected to be employing 4,000 men by next May.

The official announcement settles definitely the rumor that merely an assembling plant was contemplated. The company's closed car bodies, formerly constructed at Detroit, will be built here.

U. S. TO SETTLE REPARATIONS

Berlin and London Willing to Have America Fix Charges

Washington—The move to extend American aid in adjusting the reparations disagreement in Europe has reached a stage where a definite plan of action may be decided on in the near future.

As it now is under consideration, the proposal contemplates appointment of an American commission to study economic and industrial conditions in Germany and to fix the total of reparations which the German government may reasonably be expected to pay.

Although all discussion of the project has been of an unofficial character, it is the understanding in authoritative circles here that both Great Britain and Germany are willing to accept the award of such a commission.

PUBLIC TO BE JUDGE OF "FATTY"

Reinstatement of Arbuckle Meaningless Unless Public Wants Films

Detroit—Unless public opinion undergoes a marked change, "Fatty" Arbuckle and his antics will not be shown in Detroit and other Michigan motion picture theaters, H. N. Richey, general manager of the Motion Picture Owners' association declared in a statement.

The hue and cry of protest raised by clergymen and club women in Michigan and over all the country indicate clearly to the theater owners that Arbuckle's reinstatement by Will H. Hays, overlord of the movie world, is not approved by the public, Richey said.

SAN DIEGO HAS MOST SUICIDES

New York Makes Best Showing According to Statistics

New York—San Diego, Cal., had the highest suicide rate in 1921 and New York city had the smallest, according to statistics compiled by Dr. Frederick L. Hoffman, consulting statistician of the Prudential Insurance Co. The San Diego suicide rate is 48.7 per 100,000, while that of New York is 17.9 per 100,000. San Francisco, Spokane, Los Angeles and Louisville stand next to San Diego in the order named.

Calls Maternity Law Unconstitutional

Washington—Constitutionality of the Sheppard-Towner maternity and infancy law was challenged in a suit filed in the District of Columbia supreme court by Mrs. Harriet A. Frothingham, of Boston. She asked that Secretary Mellon and other designated government officials be restrained from expending public funds under the act. Mrs. Frothingham based her action on the ground that congress, in enacting the legislation, exceeded its powers.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

U. S. Aid For Tobacco Growers

Washington—Approval of an advance of \$7,500,000 to the Dark Tobacco Growers' Co-operative association, Hopkinsville, Ky., was announced by the war finance corporation. The credit will be used to finance the orderly marketing of tobacco.

Kermet Falls to Land Tiger

Peking—Kermet Roosevelt, son of the late president, failed in his first tiger hunting expedition in Korea to secure any game so he left December 18 to penetrate farther into the country. A number of leading Korean hunters are accompanying him.

More Demand Yank Withdrawal

Washington—The demand for prompt withdrawal of all the American troops from the Rhine was increased among senators. Investigation continued to show an overwhelming sentiment against the further maintenance of American soldiers in Europe.

Lost Air Mail Pilot Found

Salt Lake City, Utah—Air Mail Pilot Henry G. Boonstra, missing for several days, when he became lost in a blizzard en route to Rock Springs, Wyo., was found alive and well at the Rigby Ranch, four miles southeast of where his wrecked plane was discovered.

National Police Bureau Proposed

Washington—Creation of a national police bureau in Washington to collect and disseminate criminal intelligence and police information was proposed in a bill introduced by Senator Calder, Republican, New York, at the request of the international police conference.

30 Cents a Day for Royalty.

Vienna—The mother of former emperor Zita has begun a suit against her son-in-law to increase her monthly subsistence allowance of 19,000 crowns under her husband's will. Owing to the depreciation in the exchange value of the crown, the 19,000 crowns now amounts to 30 cents.

Japanese Oranges Shipped Here

Vancouver, B. C.—Some 60,000 bundles of Japanese oranges were unloaded from the Empress of Canada on her arrival here from the Orient. Most of these will be kept here, but some of them will go through to the east. The price is unchanged, \$1.10 to \$1.15 per bundle of two boxes.

French Actress Liked Boston

Havre, France—Mademoiselle Orel, the French actress, arriving here from New York on the steamer Paris, said she "fairly adored Americans, individually and collectively. I especially liked Bostonians," she said. Boston is the soul of America. New York is admirable, but I'll stick my ground on Boston."

Michiganander Arrested in West

Tacoma, Wash.—Thomas Stapleton, 43 years old, formerly a merchant at Port Huron, Mich., has been arrested here. Police say he is wanted in connection with alleged irregularities in his Michigan estate. Stapleton arrived by automobile in Tacoma recently. He was accompanied by his wife and three children. He has waived extradition.

Has Long Distance Phonograph

Chicago—A long distance phonograph which will record sounds made hundreds of miles away was demonstrated to the society of Western Engineers by E. H. Colpitts of the Western Electric Co. He also demonstrated a device through which five conversations can be carried on over one telephone line, any one being cut out at will by turning a switch.

Puts Tattooed Arm Under Train

New York—The brightly tattooed figure of a nude woman on his right arm had palled on James J. Scanlon so much lately that he decided to remove it. As he knew it was indelibly stamped on his arm, he put his arm with the tattooed figure on the Pennsylvania railroad track near Newark, N. J. and let a train sever it. He is under observation by alienists.

Robbers Throw Woman on Fire

Cleveland, Ohio—Two robbers bound, gagged and badly beat Mrs. Eleanor Fanscally and then after her repeated assertion that \$10 in cash and a check for \$30 was all the money she had in the house, and her refusal to tell of a secret hiding place of her money, tied a stocking cap about her face, and threw her into a pile of blazing newspapers, from which she was rescued by firemen.

Says Parsons Smoke Too Much

Boston—Bishop Co-adjutor Slattery, of the Episcopal diocese of Massachusetts, addressing an assembly of Congregational ministers, outlined his ideas of how a minister should spend his time. "Many parsons smoke too much, and read too many story books," he said, adding that while he did not oppose either, "it should be remembered that the place for a novel is not in a study." A pastor should be studying all the time, the bishop said.

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The world's standard remedy for these disorders, will often ward off these diseases and strengthen the body against further attacks. Threes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

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is out of fashion in society—yet you can have abundant hair of the original shade by using **Gray Hair Color Restorer**—Safe as water—try it. At all good druggists, 75 cents, or direct from **HESSIG-ELLS, Chicago, Memphis, Tenn.**

ASSURE AS DAWN BRINGS A NEW DAY

CASCARA QUININE

PESSIMIST LIFTS HIS VOICE

World Surely Is in a Bad Way, or This Writer's Liver Is Out of Order.

Strike and the world strikes with you, work and you work alone; our souls are ablaze with the apathy craze, the wildest ever was known.

Grown and there'll be a chorus. Smile and you make no hit, for we've grown long hair and we preach despair and show you a daily fit.

Spend and the gang will cheer you, save and you have no friend, for we throw our backs to birds and ducks and howl from all who'll lend.

Knock and you'll be a winner. Boost and you'll be a frost; for the old saws of the pre-war days are now from the program lost.

Strike and the world strikes with you, work and you work alone, for we'd rather yell and raise blue—than strive for an honest bone—Roy K. Moulton in the New York Evening Mail.

Everywhere She Goes.

We have a little dog that is rather fond of me, and follows me wherever I go.

It happened in church as I was sitting at the end of the pew, during a sermon, that I noticed all eyes fixed on me.

I looked and saw little Trix wiggling his tail for all he was worth, glad to have found me.

As I could not chase him home, I had to get up and walk out, feeling the heat that made me blush as Trix and I marched down the aisle.—Exchange.

A Matter of Form.

George Cohan was talking at the Lambs club about a very popular song-bird